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## NEWS RELEASES

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FCC RELEASES STUDY ON TELEPHONE TRENDS. Contact: Industry Analysis Division 202-418-0940, TTY 418-0484. CCB. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/News\\_Releases/1999/nrcc9069.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/News_Releases/1999/nrcc9069.wp)

FCC FILINGS. OPA. Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Filings/fl990917.html>

FCC CALENDAR OF EVENTS. OPA. Internet URL:

<https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Calendar/cl990917.doc>

OPEN PROCEEDING. OPA. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Open\\_Proceedings/op990917.html](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Open_Proceedings/op990917.html)

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Released: September 17, 1999. TARIFF TRANSMITTAL PUBLIC REFERENCE LOG, SEPT. 16. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Public\\_Notices/Tariffs/combined/tt091699.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/Tariffs/combined/tt091699.pdf)

Report No: N-136-A. Released: September 17, 1999. COMMON CARRIER NETWORK SERVICES APPLICATIONS FILED. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Public\\_Notices/Part68\\_Actions/1999/16sep99r.txt](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/Part68_Actions/1999/16sep99r.txt)

Report No: 44573. Released: September 17, 1999. BROADCAST ACTIONS. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/Brdcst\\_Actions/ac990917.txt](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/Brdcst_Actions/ac990917.txt)

Report No: 24573. Released: September 17, 1999. BROADCAST APPLICATIONS. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/Brdcst\\_Applications/ap990917.txt](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/Brdcst_Applications/ap990917.txt)

Released: September 17, 1999. ERRATUM TO BROADCAST APPLICATIONS, REPORT 44562, RELEASED SEPTEMBER 1. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/Brdcst\\_Actions/pnmm9195.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/Brdcst_Actions/pnmm9195.wp)

Report No: 144. Released: September 17, 1999. INSTRUCTIONAL TV FIXED SERVICE APPLICATIONS/AMENDMENTS TENDERED FOR FILING. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/ITFS\\_Notices/pnmm9197.html](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/ITFS_Notices/pnmm9197.html)

Report No: 2362. Released: September 17, 1999. OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS REFERENCE OPERATIONS DIVISION PETITIONS FOR RULEMAKING FILED. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnmc9078.wp](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/1999/pnmc9078.wp)

Report No: CWS-99-67. Released: September 17, 1999. ANTENNA STRUCTURE REGISTRATION SERVICE INFORMATION. Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnw19234.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1999/pnw19234.pdf)

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## TEXTS

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NORTH COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION V. PACIFIC BELL. Granted motion for voluntary dismissal with prejudice and dismissed formal complaint against Pacific Bell. Action by Deputy Chief, Formal Complaints and Investigations Branch. Adopted: September 16, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1890). CCB Internet URL: [https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common\\_Carrier/Orders/1999/da991890.doc](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Orders/1999/da991890.doc)

MEDIAONE. Petitions for Review of local rate orders of Douglas County and the Cities of Austell and Tyrone, Georgia, denied. Action by Deputy Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: September 14, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1897). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991897.wp>

FALCON CABLEVISION. Petition for Review of local rate order of the City of Malibu, California, denied. Action by Deputy Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: September 14, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1895). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991895.wp>

TIME WARNER CABLE. Granted in part Operator's Petition for Reconsideration of DA 98-1902. Action by Deputy Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: September 15, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1898). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991898.wp>

MARCUS CABLE ASSOCIATES, L.P. Petition for Review of local rate order of the City of Middlebury, Connecticut, dismissed without prejudice. Action by Deputy Chief, Cable Services Bureau. Adopted: September 14, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1896). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991896.wp>

PRIME CABLE OF HICKORY, L.P. Denied a complaint filed against the rate increase for the cable programming services tier in Catawba, NC. Action by Acting Chief, Financial Analysis and Compliance Division. Adopted: September 15, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1892). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991892.wp>

COMCAST CABLE OF MERCER COUNTY, INC. Denied complaints filed against the cable programming service tier rates charge in Trenton Ewing, Lawrence, Pennington and Hopewell, NJ. Action by Acting Chief, Financial Analysis and Compliance Division. Adopted: September 15, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-1888). CSB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/1999/da991888.wp>

**ADDENDA: The following items, released September 16, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 178:**

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## NEWS RELEASES

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FCC AFFIRMS RESALE RULE BUT RELAXES CERTAIN OBLIGATIONS IN ORDER TO PROMOTE COMPETITION. News Media contact: Meribeth McCarrick 202-418-0654; Wireless Bureau contacts: Jane Phillips 202-418-1310 or Stacy Jordan 418-1310. Report No: WT 99-28. Adopted: September 15, 1999. Dkt No.:

CC- 94-54, WT- 98-100. (FCC No. 99-250) WTB. Internet URL:  
[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/News\\_Releases/1999/nrw19042.doc](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/News_Releases/1999/nrw19042.doc)

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Released: September 16, 1999. CHAIRMAN KENNARD TO CONVENE FOLLOW-UP PUBLIC FORUM ON A NEW FCC FOR THE 21ST CENTURY, 10 A.M. TO 1 PM, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1999, COMMISSION MEETING ROOM, 445 12TH STREET, S.W., WASH., D.C. Contacts: Steve Klitzman 202-418-1913 or Lisa Gaisford 202-418-7280. Internet URL:  
[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public\\_Notices/1999/pnmc9077.doc](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/1999/pnmc9077.doc)

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## SPEECHES

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FCC COMMISSIONER GLORIA TRISTANI, FCC HISPANIC HERITAGE CELEBRATION, SEPT. 16.  
Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Speeches/Tristani/spgt913.html>

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## TEXTS

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DIRECT ACCESS TO THE INTELSAT SYSTEM. FCC increases competition for overseas long-distance service: allows direct access to users of INTELSAT Satellite services from the United States. Dkt No.: IB- 98-192. Action by the Commission. Adopted: September 15, 1999. by R&O. (FCC No. 99-236). IB Internet URL:  
<https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Orders/1999/fcc99236.wp>

ATLANTIC COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Denied petition for reconsideration of award of a finder's preference after DKM demonstrated that station WNWK449 was not constructed at the authorized location. Adopted: September 16, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1901). WTB Internet URL:  
<https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991902.doc>

BARBARA LINDSEY. Denied Lindsey's petition for reconsideration of dismissal of her finder's preference request for SMR Station WPFS947, Tallahassee, FL. Action by Deputy Chief, Commercial Wireless Division. Adopted: September 16, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1900). WTB Internet URL:  
<https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991900.doc>

LEFLORE COMMUNICATIONS INC. Denied Leflore's petition for reconsideration of denying its request for a finder's preference against Specialized Mobile Radio Station WPEP579 at Little Rock, AR. Action by Deputy Chief, Commercial Wireless Division. Adopted: September 16, 1999. by MO&O. (DA No. 99-1902). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991902.doc>

**ADDENDA: The following items, released September 15, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 177:**

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

Report No: D-59-A. Released: September 15, 1999. MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS. Internet URL:

[https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass\\_Media/Public\\_Notices/MDS\\_Notices/md990915.pdf](https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Public_Notices/MDS_Notices/md990915.pdf)

**ADDENDA: The following items, released September 14, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 176:**

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BLACK HILLS BROADCASTING, L.L.C. Denied request for waiver of the short-form application submission deadline. Action by Chief, Auctions and Industry Analysis Division. by Letter. (DA No. 99-1872). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/da991872.wp>

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The following items are corrections from previous Daily Digests.

Correction to Public Notice, released Sept. 15, Technological Advisory Council to hold second meeting. Correct date of meeting is Sept. 22, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., contact: Kent Nilsson 202-418-2478.